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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I use a smaller competitive provider to help encourage the open competitive communications market that keeps prices affordable and service improving. Please continue regulations that push the sharing of lines so this type of service can continue. I have lived in 5 cities and in only 1 did I have multiple options for true broadband speeds.

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